Sailor/Marine Career Management System



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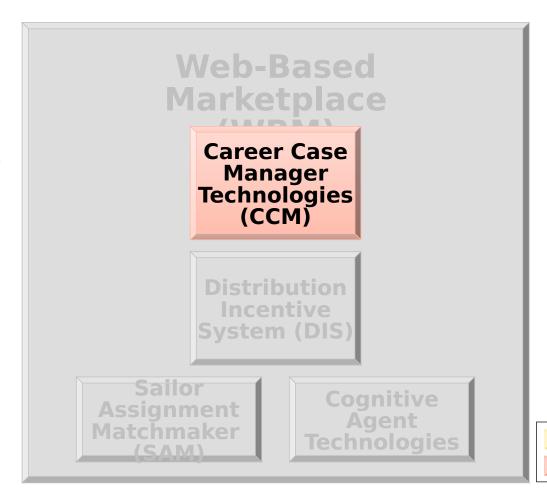




Command



Policy Admin



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The Research Problem & Situation: Career Case Manager Technologies



- Sailors want to know the best path for:
 - Promotion
 - •Education
 - Stability
 - to ensure a successful career
- Today rely on others' past experience, rumor, conjecture
 - 'Many "expert" opinions
 - *Numerous data sources, limited connectivity
- No rigor in career planning
 - Impact morale
 - Guess work at "best" career choices
 - Bad choices often equal disappointment leading to decisions to leave

Technical Objectives: Career Case Manager Technologies



- Career Planning DSS with career choices and probabilities
- Integrate "skills objects" and training 5 VM
- Use historical data
- Develop computer-based probabilistic planning algorithms
- Use cognitive agents for heavy lifting
- Conduct laboratory and field tests of intelligent agent-based system.

Technical Approach: Career Case Manager Technologies



Propose Career Planning can be modeled using:

- Historical, stochastic information
- Game-theoretic, network-based structures

Develop alternative structural models

- Comparing precedence models (path and network)
- Integrate SKILLSNET career planning taxonomy

Apply alternative models to selected test cases

- Use historical and SME developed data
- Compare error with selected actual data
- Test alternative model(s) in laboratory with SME evaluations
- Test alternative model(s) with sample Service Community

S&T Opportunities:

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- Probability techniques must be stretched
- Techniques under consideration:
 - Markov Chain
 - Game-theory
 - Baysian Network
 - Probabilistic Dynamic Modeling
- May require a combination of several

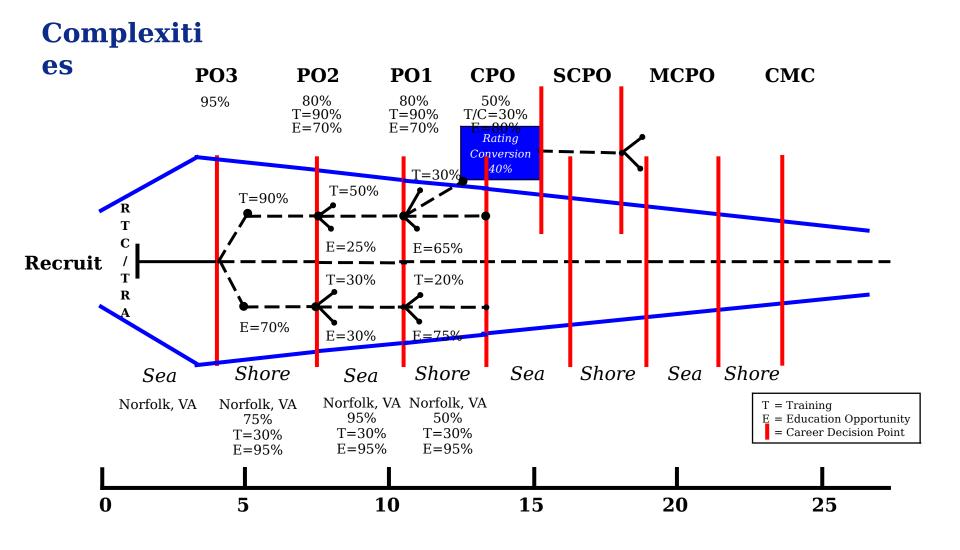
Technologies to be Delivered: Career Case Manager Technologies



- Web based DSS that provides visual display of career path options with user managed end-states and time horizons.
 - Promotion to X grade by X time in Service
 - Advanced training at X time in Service
 - Geographic location/specific job following next assignment
 - Education opportunity across X years.

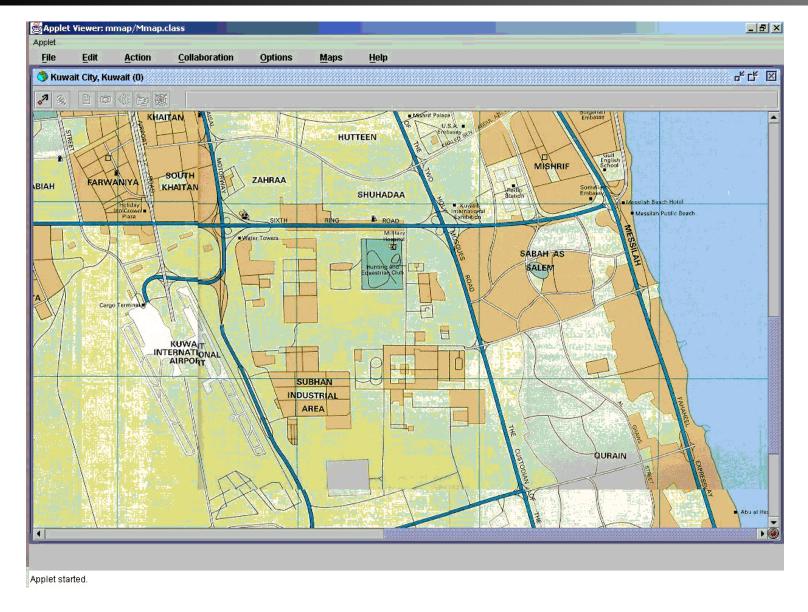
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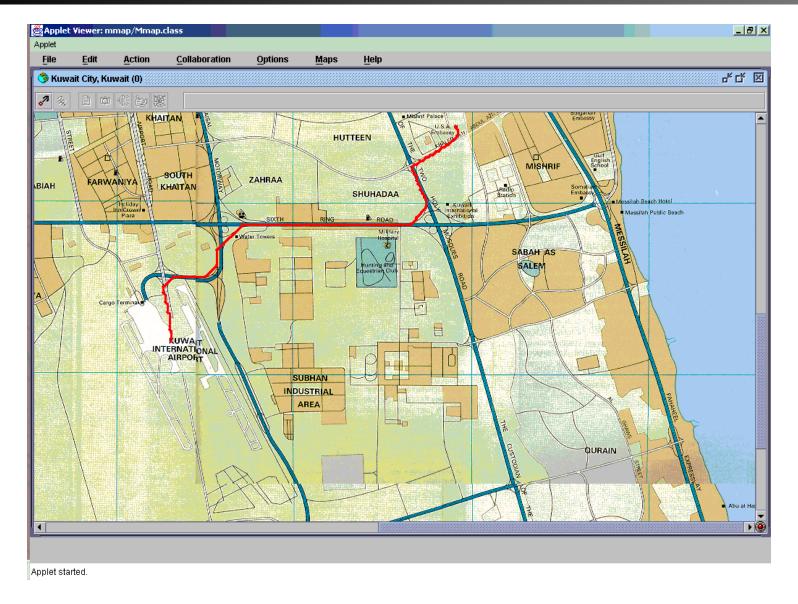
Potential Agent Technology application: CMU Route Planner





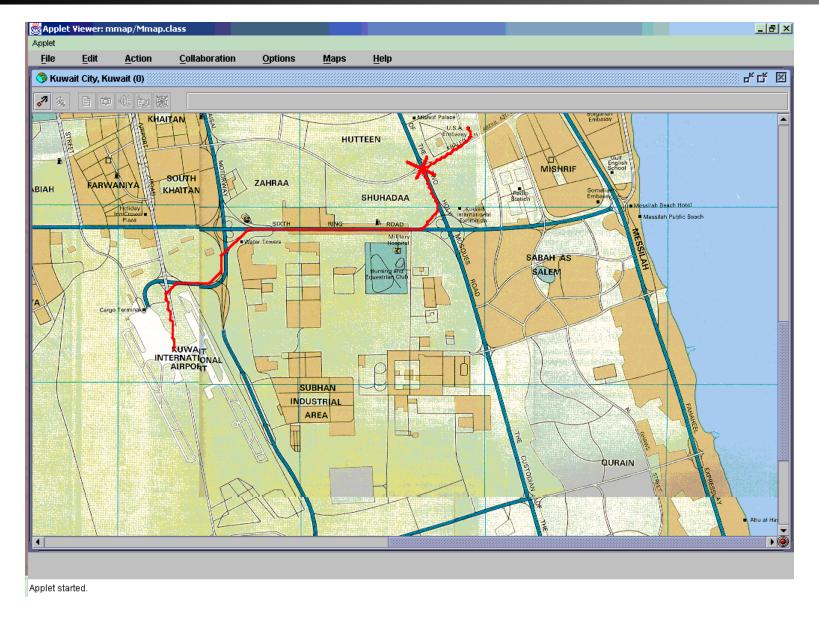
Evacuation plan - U.S. Embassy to Kuwait International Airport





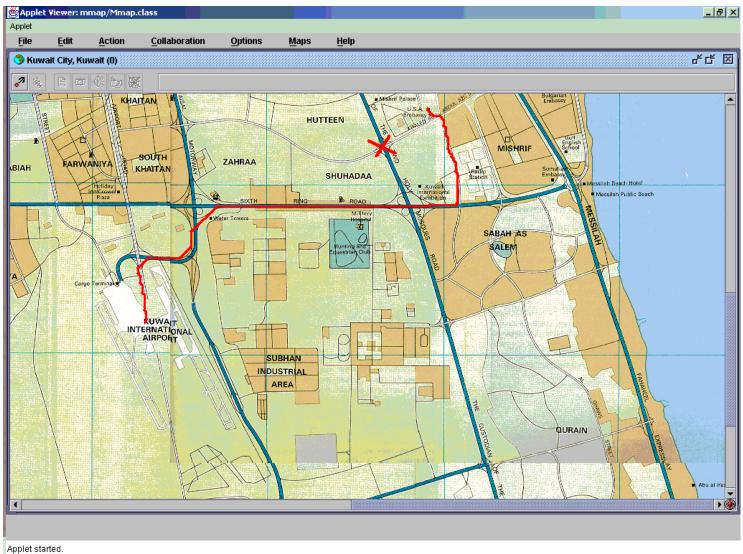
Roadblock, plan alternate route





Alternate route

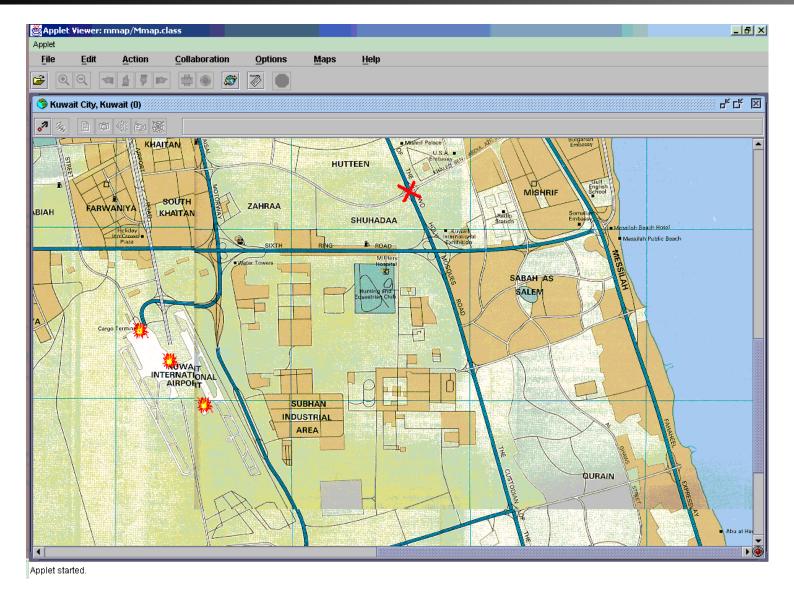




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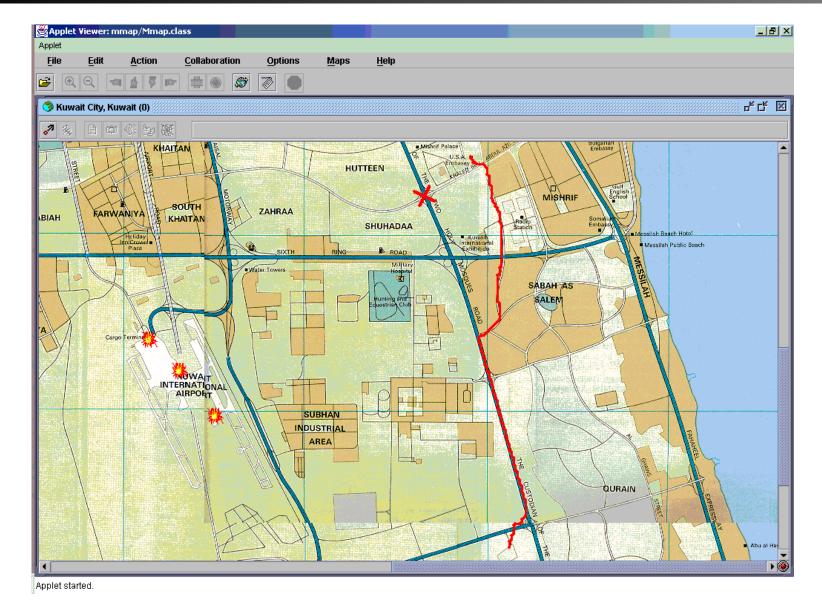
Bombing at Airport - plan alternative





Alternate evacuation route





Progress to Date: Career Case Manager Technologies



- New Start FY-03
- Ongoing literature review
- Discussions with
 - CMU
 - UMASS Amherst
 - Others planned
- Identified existing probability technique limitations